DISTRICT REPORT.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable out-turn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, area affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public Health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.—

		Average.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains.—Boiled rice (2nd sort)		4·65	5·17	Seers per rupee.
	Ragi ...	9·38	10·31	

Agricultural operations.—Manure is being collected. The standing crops are fair. Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder are sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing operations are going on in Nelamangala and Kankanhalli Taluks. The raiyats are busy in manuring the fields in Dodballapur, Nelamangala, Channapatna and Anekal Taluks.

Seeds sown.—Sugar-cane in Nelamangala, Kankanhalli, Magadi and Channapatna Taluks.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane in all the taluks; paddy in Bangalore, Hoskote, Dodballapur, Nelamangala and Channapatna Taluks and mulberry in Devanhalli Taluk and Closepet Sub-Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane in Hoskote, Magadi, Channapatna and Devanhalli Taluks.

Estimated yield.—Sugar-cane, 8 annas in Hoskote Taluk and 12 annas in Magadi and Devanhalli Taluks.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stuffs are available. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Public health is reported to be generally good, except for plague in parts of Bangalore, Hoskote, Nelamangala and Devanhalli Taluks. Ordinary fever is reported from Bangalore, Magadi and Anekal Taluks. Influenza is reported from Hoskote Taluk and small-pox is reported from Channapatna Taluk.

12. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for Chapperoga in Dodballapur, Kankanhalli and Channapatna Taluks. Neradiroga is reported from Dodballapur Taluk. It is reported by the Amildar of Kankanhalli and Channapatna Taluks that a reference has been made to the Veterinary Inspector. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Nil.

Crops harvested and their out-turn.—Sugar-cane in parts of the Kolar, Bowringpet and Sidlaghatta Taluks, yield 12 annas. Vaisakhi paddy in parts of the Kolar, Bowringpet, Mulbagal and Srinivaspur Taluks and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, yield 8 to 12 annas.

Standing crops.—Vaisakhi paddy and sugar-cane are reported to be in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season :—Good. Rain wanted. Prices of food grains stationary. Labour sufficient for cooly classes.

11. Public health is generally good, except for fever in parts of Malur Taluk and in Srinivaspur town.

12. Cattle healthy, except for some form of cattle diseases at Dinnehalli village in the Malur Taluk.

Pasture, fodder and water are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Paddy in parts of Turuvekere Sub-Taluk and sugar-cane in parts of Tumkur, Gubbi and Kunigal Taluks and Koratagere Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in parts of Tumkur, Maddagiri, Sira and Pavagada Taluks and Koratagere Sub-Taluk, yield 8 to 12 annas and Sugar-cane in parts of Tumkur, Gubbi and Kunigal Taluks and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk, yield 8 annas.

Standing crops.—Paddy, sugar-cane, cotton, kadale, jola, green gram and black gram are reported to be in good condition. Crops are reported to be withering in parts of Maddagiri Taluk for want of water in the tanks.

10. Prospects of the season good.

11. Public health is reported to be good in all parts of the district, except for malarial fever in the Tiptur town; influenza in parts of Chiknayakanhalli Taluk and ordinary fever in parts of Tiptur, Pavagada and Kunigal Taluks. It is reported that precautionary measures are being taken to arrest the spread of the diseases.

12. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the district, except for "Karlu roga" at Yagachihalli in the Chiknayakanhalli Taluk and sheep-pox in parts of Mugadalbetta Hobli in the Pavagada Taluk.

Water and fodder are available.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in parts of Mysore Taluk.

Standing crops are paddy, sugar-cane, ragi, jola, togari, mulberry, tadaguni, til, cotton, avare, castor, black and green grams, and they are reported to be generally in good condition; but til in parts of Nanjangud and Krishnarajpete Taluks; jola in parts of Mysore, Chamrajnagar, Seringapatam, Nanjangud, Mandya and Krishnarajpete Taluks; togari in parts of Mysore, Seringapatam and Krishnarajpete Taluks; ragi in parts of Mysore Taluk are reported to be withering for want of rain. The Amildar of Gundlupet Taluk reports that standing crops are withering for want of rain without specifying the names of crops.

Crops sown.—Jola in parts of Nanjangud and Malvalli Taluks and til in parts of Nanjangud Taluk are being sown.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane in parts of Chamrajnagar (12 annas) and Mandya Taluks are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are good, but rain is required in parts of Mysore, Chamrajnagar, Seringapatam, Hunsur, Heggaddevankote, Gundlupet, Nanjangud, T.-Narsipur, Mandya and Krishnarajpete Taluks.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in parts of Mysore, Chamrajnagar, Hunsur, Gundlupet and Nanjangud Taluks; small-pox in parts of Mysore and Malvalli Taluks; ague fever ಜ್ವರ in parts of Malvalli Taluk and ordinary fever in parts of Nagamangala Taluk.

12. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for doddaroga in parts of Seringapatam Taluk.

Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing operations are going on in the Arkalgud, Belur and Channarayapatna Taluks and Alur Sub-Taluk.

Condition of the standing crops.—Sugar-cane in the Channarayapatna, Arsikere and Hole-Narsipur Taluks; paddy in the Channarayapatna and Arsikere Taluks are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane in the Channarayapatna, Arsikere and Hole-Narsipur Taluks is reported to have been harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be good.

11. Public health is generally good except for plague and influenza in parts of Hassan Taluk.

12. Cattle are generally healthy but for doddaroga in parts of Hassan and Arkalgud Taluks.

Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing operations are going on in the taluks of Shikarpur and Nagar and manuring operations in Shimoga and Honnali and Kumsi Sub-Taluk.

Seeds sown.—Paddy is being sown in the Tirthahalli Taluk.

State of standing crops.—Sugar-cane in all the taluks is reported to be in fairly good condition except under Sulekere tank in the Channagiri Taluk where it is reported to be withering for want of water.

Crops harvested.—Suagr-cane is being milled in the Channagiri Taluk.

10. Rain is wanted in all the taluks.

11. There is plague in some parts of Shikarpur Taluk and influenza in a mild form in almost all parts of the Channagiri Taluk. Relapsing fever is still prevalent in Kerebilchi and Agrabannihatti villages in the Channagiri Taluk and ordinary fever in Bhadravati Hobli, Shimoga Taluk. Small-pox in the Shimoga Town.

12. Except for rinderpest in Danavandi, Kumsi Sub-Taluk (ಗುಂಬ್ಳು ಕುಮ್ಸಿ ಪರಿಷಾರ) in Malur village, Nagar Taluk and (ಕಾಲಾಜ ಮಿಜ್ಜರಿ)" Epizootic Apetha in Hurlikoppa, Sorab Taluk. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Fodder and water are available all over the district for the present except in some parts of Shimoga, Channagiri, Honnali and Sorab Taluks where it is reported that some difficulty is being experienced for water.

KADUR.

8. The markets were well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being prepared for sowing purposes in parts of Mudgere Taluk and Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk.

Crops sown.—Tarikere—sugar-cane. Koppa—paddy. Narasimharajapura—sugar-cane.

Standing crops.—Chikmagalur—sugar-cane and kode-paddy. Kadur—sugar-cane and kode-paddy. Koppa—paddy. Mudgere—sugar-cane. The standing crops are in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Chikmagalur—sugar-cane and kode-paddy, yield 8 annas. Mudgere—sugar-cane.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food grains are available, but their prices are more or less steady.

11. Public health is generally good. Plague prevails in parts of Tarikere Taluk. Relapsing fever in Kodihalli village of Chikmagalur Taluk and influenza in a mild form in parts of Kadur Taluk.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. It is reported that cattle are suffering from some disease in Kodihalli village of Chikmagalur Taluk and the Amildar has addressed the Veterinary Inspector in the matter.

Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets were adequately supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Paddy, cotton, castor, sugar-cane and tobacco are reported to be in fair condition.

Seeds sown.—Nil.

Crops harvested.—Holalkere and Jagalur—cotton (0-8-0). Paddy in Hosdurga, Molakalmuru and Hiriyur Taluks—(0-8-0). Chitaldrug Taluk—cotton and sugar-cane (0-8-0).

10. Fair. Cooly classes are finding labour. Food stuffs are available. Prices stationary.

11. Public health is generally good but for influenza in parts of Hosdurga and Hiriyur Taluks.

12. Healthy. Water and fodder are available.

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Dated Bangalore, the 15th May 1923.

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